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For: A NUTRITIONAL SUPPLEMENT FOR
LOWERING SERUM TRIGLYCERIDE AND
CHOLESTEROL LEVEL

Examiner: Sabiha Naim Qazi

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the office action of November 26, 2002 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

()	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$_____
(X)	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ <u>420.00</u>
()	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$_____
()	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$_____
()	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$_____

() Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$_____.

~(X) A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

() The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number **23-0920**. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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() assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

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